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Prices Smashed to Smithereens! The Greatest SALE Ever Attempted at this time of the Season, original price completely forgotten at Our Great Year End Clearing Sale NOW ON IN FULL BLAST!

Read just a few of the numberless bargains offered at this Sale, and don't forget, 'If it is ours it is genuine'

SUITS!	COATS! COATS!	SKIRTS! SKIRTS!
Whatever Suits we have left they all go at \$5.00 & \$9.75	Lot 1 worth up to \$9.50 \$4.98 Sale Price	Lot 1, worth up to \$3.50, \$1.98 Sale Price
Dresses in Serge, Wool and Silk Poplin, Silk Crepe, in all the wanted shades at wonderful low prices \$4.48 TO \$14.98	Lot 2, Latest Fall Style Coats worth up to \$17.50, \$9.98 Sale Price	Lot 2, All Wool Serge Skirts, worth up to \$4.50, \$2.48 Sale Price
BUGALOW APRONS	Lot 3, Plush, Ural and Baby Lamb Coats worth up to \$20, \$11.98 Sale Price	Lot 3, Poplin and Chudda cloth Skirts, worth up to \$6.50, \$3.98 Sale Price
50 cent Aprons now 39c	FURS! FURS! In separate Muffs or sets; Pillow or Melon shape Muffs, reduced from one-fifth to one-third off regular price.	WAISTS! WAISTS Lot 1, Odds and Ends, values up to \$1.50, Clean-Up Price 25c
65 cent aprons now 49c	Flannelette Kimomas, worth up to \$1.50, now 98c	Lot 2, new Fall Waists, worth up to \$1.00, now 49c
		Lot 3, All Silk Crepe waists in all shades, worth up to \$3.50 \$1.98 Sale Price

Every Item as advertised. Your money back if not entirely satisfied.

BLOCK'S
Ladies' Outfitting Store
NORTH PLATTE, NEBRASKA.

Mail Orders filled same day order is received. All parcels sent anywhere prepaid.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Sylvester Houser began work a few days ago in the ten cent store.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Murray are spending this week in town with friends.

Arthur and Charles Nolan of Wood River, are expected here shortly to visit the home folks.

Mrs. Harry Bonner, of Kansas City, who has been visiting the Bonner and Yost families for a couple of weeks, will leave the later part of this week.

Peter Spies, of Gilmer City, Ill., who was the guest of his brother Joseph Spies, left last evening to visit for a few days in Lexington while enroute home.

On account of several of the local aid societies holding bazaars next week, the Episcopal guild will hold a social and fancy work sale in the church basement Thursday.

J. S. Davis left Sunday evening for Omaha to spend a week on business.

Mrs. M. C. Rodgers, who was seriously ill is reported to be greatly improved.

The case of the state against Wheelock, which had been set for last Saturday, was continued. It is charged that Wheelock, while driving an oil wagon over the South River bridge, attempted to force off the bridge the car driven by Dr. Geo. B. Dent.

Dr. J. S. Simms was called to Mayflower this morning on professional business.

The B. P. O. Elks will hold one of their bi-monthly dances at their hall Thursday evening.

W. A. Krausa formerly associated with the Maxwell garage, came from Hastings last evening to spend a few days on business.

S. M. Thompson and Fred Carman, of Paxton, are spending a few days here on business. The former was one of the first to discover the recent brick barn fire and succeeded in removing an automobile and one horse before the flames gained headway.

The Western Union Co. is installing new dynamo batteries to feed the telegraph lines. The change is necessary on account of the increasing work and to dispense with the extra time required by the former method. The batteries will be placed in what has formerly been used as the roadmaster's office and Mr. Souser will use the former battery room.

FOR RENT
One nice cottage, modern except heat, at No. 329 west Third street. A nice home on west 4th street. Other houses and nice unfurnished rooms close in. Storage room and safe deposit boxes. **BRATT & GOODMAN.**

LEO SIMON'S WINNINGS

AT POULTRY SHOW

North Platte has received additional advertising through the energy and enterprise of one of its citizens. Leo Simon, of this city, breeder of pet stock and poultry, entered a number of pens at the National Poultry show held in San Francisco, and from reports received it is quite evident that Mr. Simon's stock was among the best exhibited. He was awarded four first prizes, two special prizes, a silver cup, one second prize and one third prize. This, too, at a show where if the exhibitors' pens were set end to end they would reach a distance of five miles. This prize winning stock of Mr. Simon will be exhibited at the Lincoln county poultry show to be held next month.

Physical Examination for Pupils

Supt. Tout, of the city schools, has sent to the parents of each pupil in the schools a circular letter advising them to have their children of school age taken to the family physician for physical examination. The findings of the physician will be placed on a blank and forwarded to the Superintendent. If this advice is neglected, the children will be examined by the city physician before they will be allowed to return to school. These reports from the examining physicians must be sent to Supt. Tout's office before December 17th.

Supt. Tout says that reports received from teachers of the grade schools show that 127 pupils are afflicted with eye trouble, 122 whose nose or throat is affected, and almost as many have defective hearing. The records of other schools in Nebraska and elsewhere show that the conditions in the North Platte schools is not unusual. Defects noted as above have the tendency to make the child nervous, inattentive and seemingly dull.

The case of Archie O'Hill and Robt O'Hill vs. Archie Jolliff occupied the attention of the county court for several days last week. The plaintiffs sued the defendant for \$197 for the rent of land and threshing grain. Jolliff confessed judgment for \$75 and the jury brought in a verdict of \$50 at three o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Beginning December 16th a number of the local business houses will be open until nine thirty in the evening to accommodate the Christmas shoppers.

F. J. DIENER & CO.
Real Estate and Insurance
Come and see us for town lots in different parts of the city. Good investments on easy terms. Houses for sale and rent. We have also good bargains in farms and ranches.
Cor. Front and Dewey Sts., upstairs.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Dr. J. B. Redfield was called to Hershey on professional business Sunday.

Gus Pulious was taken to the North Platte General hospital for treatments yesterday.

Mrs. Dan Roberts and baby went to Omaha at noon yesterday to spend a week with friends.

Mrs. J. B. Hayes, who was a patient at the City Hospital, returned home Saturday evening.

W. J. Tilley left today for Burmood to organize a Yeomen lodge. He will remain there for several days.

Let me have your Christmas magazine orders as soon as possible. Mrs. M. V. Mitchell. Phone Red 104.

Mrs. James Hart was called to Omaha last evening by the death of her husband's father, the late Leo Hart, Sr.

Clark LeDioyt, who has been visiting relatives for a week resumed work on the branch run yesterday morning.

The three year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Shank who had been seriously ill for some time is improving.

W. H. McDonald and Henry Waltemath returned Friday evening from Kearney and Hastings where they investigated paving.

Diamonds are an ideal gift. They always remain the same. No wear, no deterioration in appearance. They are a safe investment.

DIXON, The Jeweler.

J. G. Beeler and J. C. Wilson left last night for Bridgeport to attend the meeting of the state irrigation association. Mr. Beeler is on the program for an address.

The Fidelity Insurance Company has rented room six in the Reynolds building for its office and Messrs. Hegarty and Baker will have their headquarters there.

Kurrod Weston, who had been an inmate of the county hospital, died there Sunday. The remains were removed to the Howe & Maloney morgue and date of interment has not been set.

LIFE INSURANCE
If seeking life insurance, take out a policy in a solid company that has millions of reserve behind it, like the Mutual Life of New York. This is not an experimental company. The dividends go a long way towards paying premiums and every death claim is paid. **BRATT & GOODMAN,**
District Agents.

Guy Drake left last evening for Grand Island to visit friends for a few days.

For Sale—Gas range, dresser, wash stand, cement tools, surveying instruments. Phone Black 697.

The Christian Endeavor will hold a general meeting at the home of Mrs. Roy Kelly Thursday evening.

Brakeman Tom Kerwood resumed work Sunday after being off duty for a week on account of illness.

Mrs. Bud Spies and baby, of Lexington, who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Spies, returned home last evening.

The Royal Neighbors will hold their regular meeting tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. All members are urged to be present as an election of officers will be held.

Visitors are welcome in every department of our new store.
DIXON, The Jeweler.

The Merry Minstrel Maids will open a two-night engagement at the Keith this evening. Papers in the west part of the state say the maids put on a very good entertainment.

The banquet to be given the foot ball team by the high school girls will be held Saturday evening in the basement of the Presbyterian church instead of the Ritner Cafe as announced before.

Friends in town have received announcements of the birth of a nine pound girl on November 26th to Mr. and Mrs. David Stewart, of Denver. Mrs. Stewart was formerly Miss Lucile Griffin.

The Lutheran aid society and girls' club will hold a bazaar at the parish house December 16th and 17th. Rugs, quilts, aprons and fancy work will be on sale. Luncheon will also be served.

Should you invest in a diamond for Christmas and at some future date desire to exchange for a larger one or some other goods, we will allow you the full purchase price to apply on the larger stone.

DIXON, The Jeweler.

Miss Ruth Sizemore entertained twenty-three of her friends on her eleventh birthday yesterday. A very nice time was reported after which a dainty two course lunch was served. The table was beautifully decorated in pink and white and many nice presents were received.

For Sale Cheap
640 acres good grazing and farm land near town. Will sacrifice for cash or will consider small property in payment.
92-2 **O. H. THOELECKE.**

Frank Williams was arrested Saturday evening for causing a disturbance while intoxicated. Yesterday he was fined one dollar and costs in police court and ordered to leave town.

Word was received yesterday of the death of Leo Hart, Sr., at St. Catherine's hospital in Omaha. He leaves four sons: Charles of Omaha, Luke of Phoenix, Ariz., Leo, Jr., of Brady and James of this city.

The case of the state of Nebraska vs. Ted Howard for practicing as a veterinary surgeon without a lawful certificate or license will come up in the district court today. The complaining witness is Dr. Pritchard.

A dozen or more carpenters, lathers, electricians and plumbers are at work on the interior of the Hotel McCabe building pushing the work with all possible haste. The boiler for the heating plant will arrive this week. The pipes for heating and plumbing will be tried out before they are enclosed.

The following were elected to office at a meeting of the Ladies auxiliary of the B. of R. T. Saturday afternoon: President, Mrs. Art McMullen; vice-president, Mrs. W. S. Leon; secretary, Mrs. Harry Gutherless; treasurer, Mrs. Carl Ritenour; chaplain, Mrs. Floyd Overman; warden, Mrs. Roy Murdock; conductress, Mrs. C. E. Willerton; inner guard, Mrs. Rigg; outer guard, Mrs. E. Speck; delegate to annual convention in May at Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Murdock.

The domestic science department of the Twentieth Century club met at the home of Mrs. Frank Buchanan yesterday. Mrs. J. S. Stuart was leader. The topic of the afternoon was "The Staff of Life." Sub-topics were "In Grandma's Day," "The Miracle of Yeast," "Digestibility and Nutritive Value of Bread." The members spent some time sewing on children's garments which the department will donate to the Associated Charities. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Visit our Grafanola music room.
DIXON, The Jeweler.

J. B. Toillion, Dr. Wilkinson, A. E. McConnell, Earl Hamilton, Frank Zimmerman, John Walters and Theodore Buskirk left this morning for Bridgeport to attend the state irrigation association convention. They are the delegates appointed to represent the Platte Valley irrigation district. The appointments consist of farmers living along the line of the ditch and are vitally interested in all matters pertaining to irrigation but had never before attended a convention of the state association.

This is a Jewelry Christmas



Dame Fashion has decreed this Christmas to a "Jewelry Xmas."

For once, Fashion is practical, because for gift purposes nothing is as logical as Jewelry. Such a gift is personal, is permanent, reflects the giver's taste, and is ever remindful of one's friendship.

Jewelry is being displayed this year in larger assortments, in designs, and for more uses than ever before. The Jewelers of North Platte are doubly awake to these facts because of this vicinity's prosperity.

A Jewelry Christmas
Dixon, The Jeweler



It is hard to beat an Electric Curling Iron as a Christmas Gift. After using one, no one ever goes back to the dirty, inconvenient, old iron. Make her happy with an Electric Curling Iron.

North Platte Light & Power Co.